

HOUSE BILL No. 1226

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: Noncode.

Synopsis: Study of Medicaid payments to out-of-state providers. Urges the legislative council to require the public health, behavioral health, and human services interim study committee to study during the 2015 legislative interim the topic of appropriate Medicaid reimbursement rates and timeliness of Medicaid claim payments to out-of-state pediatric cancer providers. Requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning to provide specified information to the interim committee.

Effective: Upon passage.

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January 13, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures.



First Regular Session of the 119th General Assembly (2015)

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Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning Medicaid.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) **As used in this**
2 **SECTION, "interim committee" refers to the interim study**
3 **committee on public health, behavioral health, and human services**
4 **established by IC 2-5-1.3-4.**

5 (b) **As used in this SECTION, "office" refers to the office of**
6 **Medicaid policy and planning established by IC 12-8-6.5-1.**

7 (c) **The general assembly urges the legislative council to assign**
8 **to the interim committee during the 2015 legislative interim the**
9 **topic of appropriate Medicaid reimbursement rates and timeliness**
10 **of Medicaid claim payments to out-of-state providers who treat**
11 **Medicaid recipients for pediatric cancer.**

12 (d) **The office shall provide the following information to the**
13 **interim committee:**

14 (1) **The number of out-of-state pediatric cancer providers that**
15 **are state Medicaid providers.**

16 (2) **Medicaid claims information concerning Medicaid**



1 **payments to out-of-state pediatric cancer providers, including**
2 **information concerning:**

3 **(A) determination of the reimbursement rate for;**

4 **(B) the denial of; and**

5 **(C) the timeliness of;**

6 **claims.**

7 **(3) Outstanding Medicaid payments for out-of-state pediatric**
8 **cancer providers.**

9 **(4) Any other relevant information requested by the**
10 **chairperson of the interim committee.**

11 **(e) This SECTION expires December 31, 2015.**

12 **SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.**

